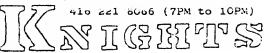
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plus Plenty of teenage lust, Loads of crawling creatures and Lots of dirty parts.

((The following is a special announcement from my wife Julie))

I first met Davis at my home in Belleville in June 1972. He has driven from Joronto with his brother and my sister to announce their engagement to my parents.

It must have been love at first sight when Dave drove up in his brand new Dolge Challenge: He was wearing a cookie-monster t-shiri and he hat those awfull long sideburns which grew down to meet his fu-manchy moustache...oh, di I forget to mention the spare tire he was carrying around his middle?

We became engaged shortly afterwarks, on my 18th birthley. On Sept 22nd 1973 - 5 weeks after my sister and his brother were married - Dave ant I tied the knot.

We have been marries for 9 wonderfull years and we are happy to announce that I am expecting a baby in

((Well, there you go folks. I'm going to be a daddy! The sideburns, cookie monster t shirt and Challenger are all gone Replaced by a Walrus moustache, Darth Vader T shirt and a Lemans. I expect that other changes will also be forthcoming but I don't foresee any letup in my dip-related activities. Julie will be leaving her job as Credit Manager of a Sheraton Hotel so my home computer will have to wait a little while longer.))

GM'd by Barry Hickey, 657A St Clair Ave W, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M6C 1A7.

Sorry but I can't take phone orders for Barry's games. What

happens if you give me the orders and then I can't get a hold

of Barry and you NMR?? Barry works evenings/nights so he usually

Stamby list.

Standby-persons are called on the basis of how few games they are currently playing in SK. Once called for a position but not used, you will always be calld for that position (Unless you take your name off the list).

Barry Hickey, Bob Arnett, George Mills, Mary anne Mills, Pete Ashley, Blair Cusack, Pat Conlon, Pete Walker, Bob Acheson, Eric Kane, Robert Jewett, Dave Anderson, Rob Lowes, Pierre Touchette, Claude Gautron, Jack Jung, Jeff Punches, Bernard Sampson, Tom Swider, Jan Jensen, Nelson Heintzman, Andre Torres, Dave Hear, Gerry Paulson.

2% Week game: Hickey, Cusack, Jung, Walker. Anyone want on or off??

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contacts me rather than visa versa.

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#3 open to players.



Came Openings in SK:

OOLAKASH - 5 week deadline Deadman game Gm'd by Barry. \$2 gf: Arnett, Anwyl, Palter. 4 more needed.

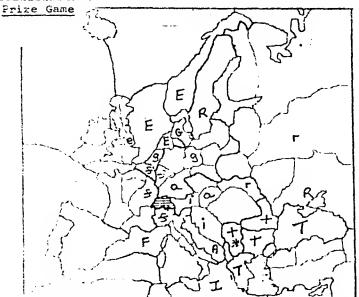
REG DIP? I have only 1 person who wants in for the next game so it may be a while in filling. More details in SK19. Anwyl is close to filling a new game and Bern Sampson has a game ½ filled.

RAIL BARON - Barry is GM'ing these. 2 games are filled but he will open another one. No game fee.

Is anyone eise interested in GM'ing a game(s)? Let me know and we can arrange something. I son't really want to take any more of a Gilling load than I already have but I will take care of copying and discribution.

GCADLINE FOR ALL GAMES IS IKIDAY JAMUAKY 7th, 1983. SON'U MAIL LAIE 708 JAE POST OFFICE WILL MAIL 40U IF YOU GOVE THEM A CHANCE. WERRY CARSSIMAS / HAPPY BOPPONG

Odd's n ends..... One new item this issue is my purchase of an extension phone to go into my basement dip eauquarters. Before, my wife would buzz me on the intercom and I would race up 3 flights of stairs to get to the phone so as not to cause you any more on long distance bills. Problem with that was that if someonly phoned about a game I had no idea what was going on without my files....next item is this shitty ole type writer is screwing up again. At first the 'd' and the 'x' would transpose for no reason. Now the 'e' and the 't' are doing it also. Once the zine is done, into the repair shop she goes......Randolph Smyth of FOL SI FIE does not have that proolem. He just purchased a new computer to put out his zine. Randolph mentioned what ne had purchase but it didn't ring a bell......Want into a hockey pool? Kathy Byrne, 160 - 02, 43ave, Flushing, NY, 11358 is running a pool on the outcome of the Stanley Cup. Cost you \$10. Kathy has already chosen the Islanders (Big of her.) Ron Ontario Brown has Queoec. I have first rights on Montreal but for S10 I am not going to back another team against the Islanders. It's not so bad for Steak Dinners at Origins cos Gary Coughlan usually bails me out by buying. Sorry KK - I'm out! Quote me some odds and I'll reconsider it.....Rail Baron has been going real strong this month. 2 games have filled up in 5 weeks and another is on the way to being filled. Since this is the first time for RB in SK I feel that it would be a good idea if you give Barry any suggestions or ideas that you come across in the course of playing..... Squad Leader is also a hot topic. Mike Mills is showing me how to play by mail. So far I have managed to roll a 12 in Prep Fire(Support Weapons go bye bye) and a 12 in Rally (Broken Squad goes bye bye). Luckily Mike's aim is even worse than mine. Barry, Dave W and Anwyl and I tried a refereed SL but it proved too cumbersome because we all broke our squads down and spread them out so that Barry was getting pissed off at checking LOS. Sure beats playing dip ftf tho...... fakes arrived in the last while. THE BATTLE OF DORKING 1871 and a bogus MODERN PATRIOT. Anyone know who did either. THOD criticised SK for it's tasteless nudes! The nerve!!



Fall 1902

I asked Don Ditter for a BN for this. If he can't give one because of the unique rules then I'll see about a Miller Number.

- AUS (Steve Hutton): a gal rt sil. f tri ret alb. a sil - mun, f adr s italian a tri - ven (nso), a bud - vie, a ser - tri d/r (oud, alb, otb).
- ENG (Paul Rauteroerg): f nwy h, f nth c a yor den, f hel - kie, a yor - den
- FRA (Hugh Polley): f spa sc gol, a mar pie, a bur s a bel - ruh, a bel - ruh, a pic - bel.
- GER (Bob Acheson): a hol h, a ruh s a hol d/a, f den nth, a ber - kie.
- ITA (Steve "Bergstrom): NAA! a tri h, f ion h, a tyr h.
- RUS (D.S. PAlter): f swe s english a edi den (NSU as a edi), a stp - mos, f sev s a rum turkish, a gal s turkish a rum.
- TUR (Al Hoffman): a gre ser, a bul s a gre ser, a rum s a gre ser, f bla s a rum, f aeg gre.

Press:

Merrie olde Englande - World: His Majesty's government today renounced its previous policy of conducting wars "in order to acquire cold hard cash". They will now only fight for glory and the thrill of combat. Strategic Studies Press (France): The securing by Jurkey of the Balkans thsi year gains him an unassailable position. He can now overrun Russia, Devour Austria, then launch a naval campaign without fear of a defensive weakness. This organ will accept any reasonable bet against the favourite Iurkey.

sc chart for winter 02.

A: vie, bud, #ff, \$ef, MUN (3) Even.

E: lon, lpl, edi, nwy, (4) Even.

F: bre, mar, par, spa, por, BEL (6) Build 1. G: pun, ber, kie, sié, DEN, HOL (4) Build 1.

I: rom, nao, ven, TRI (4) Build 1.

R: mos, stp, sev, war, SWE.(5) Build 1. T: ank, con, smy, bul, rum, SER, GRE (7) Build 2.

Neutrals: Tun. (1)

Game Notes:

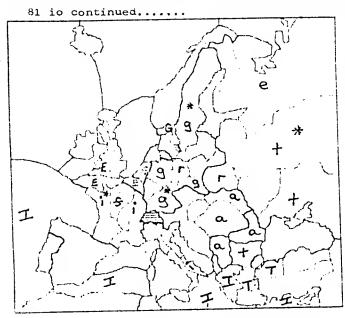
No standby is called because of the exclusive rules for this game. A copy of this adjudication will be sent to Francois at his last PO Box and I will ask that he return the money to a responsible person to be used as prize money for this game.

Winter 02/Spring 03 due Friday Jan 7th, 1983. Builds are on file for Germany.

1981 IO Erdom.

Fall 1905.

- AUS (Rob Lowes): a ser s a gal rum, a gal rum, a tri bud, a vie gal.
- ENG (Mary Anne Mills): a nwy stp. f nth hol, f bel s f nth hol, f eng s f bel, f lon wal.
- FRA (Jack Jung): a bur = par, a bre s a bur par d/r (Pic, otb).
- GER (Fred Wiedemeyer): "Kecreat f nth sha. f ska a a den swe, a den swe, a sil s a ber mun, a ber - mun, a kie s a ber - mun.
- ITA (Mark Weidmark): f ion eas, f adr ion, a ven apu, a mar bur, a gas bre, f mao s a gas bre, f wes h, f gre s Turkish f aeg - bul sc (NSO).
- RUS (Dave Anderson): retreat a ber pru. a pru ber, a mun s a pru ber a/r (Ruh, boh, tyr, otb), a war - sil, a mos - war a/r (lva, otb), f swe looks for subs ((That's my line Dave!)) d/r (nwy, fin, bal, bot, otb).
- TUR (Blair Cusack): f bla con, a rum bul, f aeg s a rum bul, a ukr mos, a sev s a ukr mos.

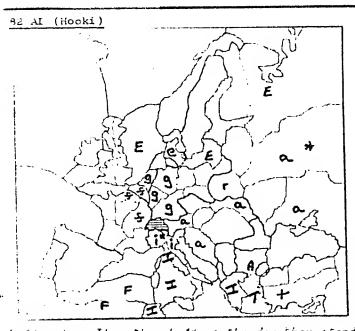


Ankarra - Moscow: Jie swine of the north - Jie... Austria - Turkey: Sorry about the deception. I was sincere right up until your IIIK.

Winter 05 sc chart:

- A: tri, ser, bud, vie, KUM (5) Build 1.
- i: lpl, edi, nwy, lon, bel, SJP, mOz (7) Build 2 unless Kussia retreats , swe-nwy, then build 1.
- F: brk, par (1) Kemove 1.
- G: mun, hie, Kól, den, Suc (4) Remove 1. Germany played 1904 with 1 extra unit due to a GM error last winter. If a mistake is not corrected before I adjudicate the next season then it stands. I just noticed this one as I was doing the supply chart.
- 9: rom, nap, ven, tun, mar, spa, por, gre, BRE, (9) Built 1. K: war, hob, ALA, ber, but, (2) Kemove 3. If swe retreats to nwy then remove 2.
- I: smy, con, ank, bul, sev, the, 1105 (6) Build I as played 1 short

Game Notes: Thanks to Bern Sampson for unneeded standby orders. Blair Cusack, Fred Wiedemeyer and Kob Lowes have address changes. See P7. W'05/5'06 due Friday Jan 7th 1983.



Fall 1903

- AUS (Steve Arnawoogian): a vie tyr, a tri s a vie tyr, f bul sc h, a ukr - mos, a sev s a ukr - mos, a gal - war.
- ENG (Blair Cusack): a swe den, f stp nc h, f den bal, f nth h.
- FRA (Robert Jewett): NMR! f naf h, f wes h, a pie h d/r (Mar, otb), a bur h, a oel h, a pic h.
- GER (Yves Lagimoniere): a nol s a ruh, a ruh s a hol, a kie s a ber - mun, a oer - mun.
- ITA a tyr pie, a ven sa tyr pie, f tyr s f tun, f tun s f tyr, f tus s a tyr - pie, f aeg - gre. (Italy is, of course, Rop Lowes):
- RUS (Boo Acheson): NMR! a war h, a mos h x/r (lva, otb).
- TUR (Tom Swider): f con aeg, a smy h.

Press:

London - Moscow: Fear not - help is on the way....a bit slow perhaps, but on the way.

Thrillsville (Turkey) - Woospecker: I get the message.... Rome - GM: Of course an Italian volunteer army. Anyone who upean't volunteer gets to stand in 1 tool of water for

half a day. The other half of the day they stand on their heats in the same place. GM: Wouldn't hure them! Ihit oil floats!

Winter 03 sc chart (Why so many fall seasons this issue?)

A: bud, ser, gré, ##r, bul, rum, SEV, MOS, TRI (7) Build 1

E: lpl, lon, eqi, nwy, swe, den, stp (7) Build 3 as played 3 short.

f: par, mar, bre, por, spa, bel (6) Even, unless a pie r oto.

ber, kie, hol, mun (4) Even.

I: ven, nap, rom, *f*, tun, vie, GRE (6) Even.

R: nos, sex, WAR (1) Remove 1.

T: ank, con, smy (3) Build 1 as played 1 short.

yame lloces:

110 standby is called for Kussia. It Bob IIIIK's again it goes into W. Standby for France is the same as last time: Eric Kane, 109 Hicks lane, Great Heck, Hy, 11024, USA. He has your aidresses. Cusack COA on P7.

Lowes COA on P7.

Seatline for W'03/5'04 is Friday January 7th, 1983. Onters on file for England.

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w'03/3;04

AUS (Bob Acheson): f tri - alb, a vie s a bud, a bud s german a boh - gal (nso anyway).

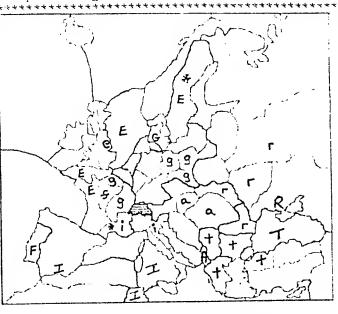
ENG (Roland B Morris Jr): a wal - yor, f nwy - swe, f eng - nth, f iri - eng, f gas - bre.

FRA (Pierre Touchette): f mao - por, a pic - par, a mar - soa.d/r (Gas. otb).

GER (Yves Lagimonier e): suild a ber. f den s english f nwy - swe, a ber - pru, a boh - sil, a mun - ber, a bel - pic, a bur s a bel - pic. ((It's so nice when all the orders succeed. I don't have to backspace)

ITA (Dave Anderson): Built f rome. f spa sc s a pie - mar, a pie = mar, a ven h, f rom - tyr, f ion - tun.

RUS (Jan M Jensen): a mos h, f sev s a rum, a rum s a gal - bud, a gal - oud, a ukr - gal, f swe h d/r (Fin, bot, bal, Ska, otb)



TUR (Eric Kane): built a con, a anh. a bul -s er, a gre s a bul - ser, a con - oul, î bla s a con - bul, a ank -

Press:

Russia - Turkey: Peace, by all means.

Russia - England: We are still on good terms, aren't we? Paris: The government of the Kepublic of France exile himself somewhere around Brazil, but he should come back to banishment all the invaler of France soil. I hope I shall return...and I never absicate.

Game Notes but no winter sc chart (Thanh Yal!).

This is probably the only game where I con't have to put a reminder of a Change of Audress...and no sc chart?? Yollly you guys are good to me.

Fall 03 is due Friday Jan 7th, 1983

Scump the yill Jime!

Q: Do I allow the coastal Crawl? ie:

F spa sc - por, f por - spain nc.

NO!

I don't allow it because, to me, it violates rule VIII which states, "If 2 units are ordered, each to the space the

other occupies, neither may move." I found out about the coastal crawl from one of the first zines that I ever subbed to oack in 1979. It was CLAW & FANG and Don Horton did not allow it either. Interestingly enough, I tried a real dumo move in one of my early game starts. I tried F Rum-Sev and A Sev-Rum. may say that my tactics havn't improved since then.

This one is a little harder.

b/ F Bothnia s f nwy - stp(nc). Q: Do I allow either a/ F Bothnia s F StP (nc). NO! NO!

Rule IX says, " A unit may give up it's move in order to support another unit trying to hold or enter a space. This space must be one to which the supporting unit could have moved if not apposed by other units."

So since F Bothnia could not move to StP ne then it may not support a unit there/moving there. On the other hand, if the fleet in NWY was an army then F Bothnia could support it to StP.

En Francais: 1. Une unité peutabandonner son droit à se mouvoir pour supporter une autre unité essayant de se mouvoir ou de se maintainer sur place dans un espace donné. Cet espace doit être un de ceux vers lesquels l'unité qui supporte aurait pu se mouvoir si elle n'entrait pas en conflit avec autre d'autres unités.

That's what happens when you talk on the phone to Pierre Touchette and Yves Lagimoniere. Claude Gautron's English is so perfect that I can't figure out which is his mother tongue.

Anway, thanks to Andre Torres for some good questions.

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81CC Ambrezza.

AUS (Barry Hickey): a ven h d/r (tus, otb).

ENG (Bon MM Brown): f lon r otb, f edi r yor. f yor - edi.

FRA (Bob Arnett): NMR! GM removes I Eii (Farthest from home sc, fleet before army, alphabetically) f iri h, f eng h, f lon h, f nwg h, a rom h, f nap h.

GER (Claude gautron): Build a ber, a mun, f hie. I listed pnly 2 builds last season but Germy should have 3. a mos h, a lva s a mos, a war - gal, a boh s a war gal, a mun s a boh, a ber - pru, f nwy s f nth, f bel s f nth, f nth s English f yor - edi, f kie - hol, a bre h, a spa h, a gas - bur, a mar - pie. The retreat was a tyr to Bohemia

3JA (Pete Ashley): F tun - ion.

TUR (George Mills): Suild I Smy. a tri - ven, a tyr s a tri - ven, a vie s a tyr, a gal - sil, a rum - gal, a ukr - war, a sev - ukr, f tyr - wes, f apu s a tri - ven, f ola - con, f smy - eas.

Press: None.

Game Notes: Standby for France is: Bernard Sampson, 5364 Red Lake, Columbia, MD, 21045, USA. He has your addresses. Fall 1907 Due Friday Jan 7th.

FOL SI FIE by Randolph Smyth, 212 Aberdeen St S.E. Medicine Hat, Alta, T1A OR1, Canada. Subs are 60 cts per issue. There is a game opening at ¢ \$8. 6 week deadlines.

NO FIXED ADDRESS by Steve Hutton, 103 Dunbar Rd S, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, N2L 2E4. No game opennings as of now but you may get into a game by the standbyperson list. 10 issues cost 56.50 CD or \$6.00 US. Steve's zine has some interesting quizes and articles, also the 'occasional' risque joke? 5 week deadlines.

******************* ((From Barry Hickey)) NEW REGULAR DIPLOMACY GAME START--NIDOL--DUE JAN.7/83 AUSTRIA Dave Head, Box 1231, Huntsville, Ontario, Canada, POA-1KO NO PREF ENGLAND Nelson Heintzman, Apt. C-4, 2255 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, NY, 14216, USA ETFRIGA France Pierre Touchette, 1 rue Georges, Masson, PQ. Canada, JOX-2HC FGETRAI GERMANY Rob Winslow, U of Rochester, Box 29427. Rochester, NY, 14627, USA GIRETAF Andre Torres, 2 2411 Westfield Dr., Niles, MI, 49120, USA ITALT NO PREF RUSSIA Gerry M. Paulson, Box 6, Amisk, Alta., Canada, TOB-0B0 NO PREF TURKEY Yves Lagimoniere, 4-639 Constance, Victoria, B.C. V9A-6N8 TIEGRAF

A few new faces in this one. Nice to see you pop up again Dave. You have an extra long deadline MMXX due to the festive season, Enjoy it. BEST OF THE HOLIDAY SEASON TO ALL!!

RAIL BARON #1---DUE JAN.7/83

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WELCOME to the very first game of RB to be run in Sleepless Knights, I hope you all enjoy the game. Due to the holiday season the deadline is in 83 so you have lots of time to study everything. Remember to send me all the info I need M(HR #1)as well as your votes for the optional rules and any train names you want to call your own.

EARLY SEASONS GREETINGS TO ALL!!!

Oh yes I am Barry C. Hickey, 657a St. Clair Ave. W., Toronto, MXXXXOnt., M6C-1A7

Jave here. The Sip players know what to do but for the KD players ... Eurn to House Kule #1 to see what darry needs from you.

Basically you should send Barru: - The route you wish to use to get to your aestination. - A list of purchases, in order of preference. Is can be any length in length and can be changed merely by sending Barry a new list. - A name for the Irain that you control. eg: Carter's Cannonball? - your votes on the optional rules in the game. Uptional rules are the variable price fpr Superchief and Merger of Kailroats. See P3 of the Kail Baron rules.

you won't need to now but once you have spent some of that cash on KK's you may find yourself short in paying the bills and have to sell something. give Barry a list of your KK's in order that you wish them sold to cover these costs.

kB#1 looks interesting. A few short runs to start and Pat Conton get's to go acrosscontinent. when you give barry your 'buy' list - be sure to tell him how much 'running' money you want left.

The cash value in brackets is the pay-out for the trip - payable on arrival. Naturally, longer trips pay the most and Western routes seem to pay higher than Castern routes. The payoff schelule is included in the game but it did not photocopy well (viue ink) so players without the game won't have it. 0% eh? in the game but it did not photocopy well Cheap Answers.

Stealing a line from WINSOME? NO UNE, I'm going to use this space to answer some questions that have come my way recently.

Seperation of Seasons. you can always ask for a seperation but I son't automatically give it. A request for a seperation due to a retreat will be given for situations where there are numerous retreats. Even though a retreat of a fleet from NIH or MHD can be quite variable, I won't give a separation since it can be easily countered by conditional orders. If several people request it your chances are better of getting it.

Conditional orders on a NMR. S'funny but 2 people asked about this time. you can submit contitional orders on the player of a particular country lie: Original or standby player) since that occurs before I do the adjudications. You cannot submit conditional orders on a particular country NMK'ing since that is that country's orders. It would be the same as saying: If France moves I brest - Clip then I.... Anyway, that's the way I call it. No any GM's do it differently?

Anwyl of Weismark. Yes, he is a real person. He just happens to prefer to use another name for his gaming activities. Kon Brown of the CSV knows his real name, I know his real name and anybody in our Wargaming Club knows it. Be nice to him and he might tell you it? I havn't known Anwyl that long, perhaps 3 months or so but he does have short hair so he can't be all that bad II said the same thing about Steve Hutton didn't I?). The only thing that I have against him is that the next time he rolls a double-one in Squad Leader-I stop putting in plugs for his zeene. Dave Beatherhead and I almost lost a 9-2 Leader, 3 squals and a flamethrower to a lousy Kussian squal (We moved the board around and concluded that there was no line of sight).

Treaty Diplomacy - a variant.

Supplied by Hugh Polley. (1) All oiplomacy rules apply. (2) Players may make two kinds of treaties a/ economic b/ military.

Economic Treaties: One power may lend a "specific centers" build to another power. If a power other than the lending power takes the center giving the loan, the contract is void. An economic treaty has a maximum life of two years.

Military Treaties: Two or more powers may sign a contract limiting the movements into a specified province or provinces. A military treaty has a maximum life of 2 years.

- (3) GM's role: The GM will disallow any move which violates a contract, providing the move is protested by the injured party before the next deadline.
- (4) Treaty form: Each party to a military treaty must send in a signed copy of a treaty, or a copy signed by both with the commencement date and ending date on the contract. The lending party and receiving party to a loan must be on the same loan agreement, along with the enoing date and commencement date.

((I hanks Hugh for sending that in. I like all variants that can be played on a regular map so if you have any more - keep them coming.))

Q: What do you call a man with no legs?

Q: What oo you call a man with no arms or legs in a swimming pool? A: Bob. Another Poll

Gee, for a while I thought that this issue would go out without any ballots to stick inside the envelope...and y'all know how I like to send out those little goodies. Anyway, Jim Williams has saved me from a fate equivitable to subscribing to Voice of Doom by sending me a notice about his latest poll. The first and only....GAMES PEOPLE PLAY POLL.

On the enclosed ballot list the 5 games that you most enjoy playing face to face (Be serious now!) in order of preference. Similarly list the 5 games that you most enjoy playing by mail. It's all on the ballot so I don't know why I'm explaining it again.... cept maybe for the university students who have to have everything put in multiple choice form?

Publishers please publicize this poll. Canadian publishers are especially asked to publicize this. There is also a prize of sorts for the zine that has the most subbers who vote. I don't care about the prize - Jim and I are going for a 2 way draw in 81AO! I'll print anything he sends!

Do Vote! Send ballots to: Jim Williams, 2500 6th St SW, Altoona, Iowa, 50009, US of A. Deaoline is somwhere in mid february to give foriners a chance to vote.

Plugs.

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EUROPA EXPRESS by Gary Coughlan, 4614 Martha Cole Lane, Memphis, Tennessee, 38118, USA. The #1 real zine in North America does not need a plug but here goes. Probably the best reading zine that I get, which is good because Gary has no openings.

Answers to Quizes

Rock and Roll: (1) 7%7. (2) Kenny and the Cadets or Carl and the Passions. (3) Sukiyaki. (4) "Best Spoken Word" Grammy. (5(Neil Sedaka. (6) True. Volvo was #2. (7) El Paso by Marty Robbins. (8) Russian Roulette. (9) Fargo ND. (10) Cowsills. (11) Ray Hildebrand and Jill Jackson. (12) Trick question. In 1967 Bob Dylan was known as Robert Zimmerman before he had it legally changed. (13) Johnny Casino and the Gambles. (14) The positions on the Billboard Top 100 chart occupied by the Beatles. (15) Chuck Barris (Of the Gong Show).

Coins: (1) Both are words for Golden. (2) Hindu word meaning wrought siver. (3) They are both derived from Latin. Lira means pound and Pesos/Pesetas means weight. (4) Escudo - From portugal gets it's name from the shield or escrutcheon stamped on it. Cruzeiro - from Brazil, get's it's name from the cross stampex on it. (5) From the Latin phrase "Francorum Rex" stamped on it. (6) Round.

War: (7) WWI and Russian Revolution. (8) Britain, France, Russia, Belgium, Serbia, Montenegro, Japan. (9) German victories in the East contributed to success of Russian Revolution and Russian withdrawl from

> Winners: Rock: G Mills 14, Platt - 11, Caruso 1. Coins/war - Cohen 5, Caruso 1.

wins 3 issues from Annalee George So. Cohen and Annalee wins 3 issues from me. Annalee, somehow I knew you wouldn't lose on this deal.

Trivia Quiz!!

Time one is gonna be socooo easy. All you have to do is to rell me approxi metely what the first words were that Princess Leia spoke to Luke skywalker in "Star Wars". Die roll decides 'tied' votes. Even John Caruso should get it

George Mills Errol Platt Arxire Torres Ben Schilling Peter Ashley

Annalee Cohen 13 John Caruso Jack Jung

ALL TIME Winners.

79K Stats.

ZINE: Arrakis to S'02, Infidel to F'05, Sleepless Knights to end.

GM's: Doug Hayward to S'02, Clive Tonge to F'05, Dave Carter to end.

AUS: Hugh Polley (Dro F'07), Pierre Touchette. ENG: Nick Russon (Dro W'05), Pat Conlon (Eli W'07). FRA: Blair Cusack (WIN). GER: Bob Albrecht (Dro W'05), CD (Eli W'07). ITA: Steve Colombo. RUS: Al Smoliak (Dro S'03), Barry Hickey (Eli W'08). TUR: John Kelley (Dro W'05), Tony Strictland (Dro W'06), Bern Sampson.

01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09

Note: France played 1 short in 1908.

A: 0 0 0 2 E: 1 F: 9 11 15 17 18

Endgame comments: FRANCE: Well, this is my first win as France, having been turned away at 17 centers for a 5 way draw, and 1 2 way draw before....so it's been awhile coming.

0 0 1 1 G: 1 I: 4 4 3 3 6 6 R:

I started this game in alliance with Germany, and the game developed into a E/R/A vs 3/G/3/J slugtest by 1903.

By 1904, Russia's MMR's gave Turkey MOS and SEV in one year (unsupported) and, unfortunately, K/L had severely punished my German ally. Italy had

entered into a losing situation strategically against Austria. Also, a new Jurkish player put the old I/G/9/I alliance into disaray. We'd destroyed England but lost Germany, and Jurkey was going it alone while Italy desperately needed help.

My main objectives became the solidification of the Italian lines while racing forward in the North for a victory. The lack of naval opposition made this easy, albeit more challenging with a time factor in the back of my mind (ie: Make it before a draw move by KINTI is made).

But that alliance against me never jelled and the victory, plus promotion of my steadfast Italian ally (who had insisted I take his home centers in 1903, but I declined to do so) was made possible. Thanks to all, especially the GM's and Steve Colombo.

Thanks Blair for the stats. Also thanks to Ben Schilling for sending another set of stats. Ben proved himself to be a little bit of an Archivist since I really was surprised to see that he had Arrakis in his

library. Letters:

(Pat Conlon): ... Now to fill in all those awfull gaps in your education. LSV is famous for girls and beer. One of the local watering holes. a place called "Murphys", is one of the ten largest Budweiser retailers in the world. Yes, LSV outdrinks all but a few Bud Bars in the world. LSV is also famous for the school that Bert Jones went to. BU will be famous for football again this year, and the next three years. We have no less than two Heisman trophy candidates in running backs balton Hilliard and Gary James. And the LSV Jigers are #14 and rising in the Nation.

Rochester is famous for it's obnoxious inhabitants. ((Isn't that obvious? Anyway glad to hear that you're not wasting your time down there, as for NCAA Footwall? It ranks low in poularity in Canada even with the NFL strike. I used to follow Ohio when my brother taught there but now that he's back in Canada I just sort of drift from team to team. I kinda like Stanford cos they pass a lot. I hate running plays!))

(Ron Brown): Hey, what's the hangup about"standbys"? Webster's Third International Dictionary spells it that way specifically. They don't even list "Standbies" as a possibility. Not every final "y" changes to "ie" before an "s"---unless you want words like "boies" ((Hey, I like that!)) ? Many people have probles with spelling because they had certain rules drummed into them in elementary school, and they never learned, or don't want to learn, the exceptions. I should talk -- I'm a terrible speller. But "Standbies" looks terrible is wrong, and is unjustified. At least you don't copy some of the outrageous spelling errors which appear regularly in some other zines.

RE: BLOWUP. I thought I stated quite clearly that "Seeing as this game is untried, I won't ask for game

... anyhow, thanks for the plugs, again. And congrats on beating me out in the Leeder Poll. So you think if I used Naked girls to fill white spaces it would help?

((Yup! That and gross jokes. Sorry about the misinformation about game fees. I was probably doing it from memory? My spelling is not so hot either and I'm one who falls into the trap that you mentioned. Whenever something comes up that I'm not sure of I apply one of the old maxims...like i before e = Kieth. I keep a dictionary handy but I seem to have an eidetic block on some words.))

Changes.

Address Changes.

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Dave Head, Box 1231, Huntsville, Ontario, POA 1KO. Additions:

Al least this time around nobody decided to change names on me. Save Head is an "oldie" who decided to give Dip another try when he saw how fantastic my zine was. Steve Colombo now lives in a townhouse near

of yourself.

identity.

(From Anwyl of Weismark)

Changes continued.....

Framalea CityCenter. He asks if I know the area? Not really, Steve. My world ends at the outshirts of Metro Joronto. It's a local call tho.... I think? <<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre><<pre>

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((So long as the jokes are better than the ones that Steve Hutton uses.

And for those readers who are a little hesitant because of my pseudonym: Kon Brown knows my real

greetings save, I want to inform your readers of an omission in last issue's advertisement. The sub

fee of 10/\$5 is a limited time offer exclusive to "Sleepless Knights" and "Kunescone" subscribers.

at least 3 games. In addition I have offered to adopt a pair of Leeder's orphans. There will be an

article on Weismark, and jokes and fillers worthy

Effective the first of January, the rate will become 10/87.50. The premier issue will contain complete houserules and Spring 1901 orders for

Aybody interested in a gamestart in the near future should contact Anwyl. I have had only 1 enquiry about a reg dip game so it will be a few issues before my next one fills.

"Weismark Dip Press" #1 comes out in the new year. Anwyl and I are both on 5 week deadlines but we are going to make sure that our deadlines are not together.))

Fall 1913.

AUS (Al Hoffman): a vie s a bud, a bud s a vie.

FRA (Bob Acheson): f ion ret alb. f pie - gol, f gol tyr, f wes - tun, f alh s f tun ion, f tun - ion, f tyr - nap, a rom s f nap - apu, f nap - apu, f eng - bel. f mao Unordereed.

GER (Randolph Smyth): f bel - eng, f bal h, f spp nc h, a war s a sil - gal, a mos s a sev, a sev s a gal rum, a ukr s a sev, a gal - rum, a sil - gal, a tyo s a boh - vie, a boh - vie.

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FUR (Stvee Berrigan): ((Make that Steve Berrigan)) a sev ret Arm. a arm - sev, f gre s f aeg - ion, f aor s a tri, f ion - apu, a rum s a arm sev, a tri s austrian a vie, f bla s a arm - sev, a bul s a rum, f aeg - ion.

Winter 1913 s/c chart. ((Berrigan COA on P7))

A: vie, bud (2) Even.

F: bre, mar, par, spa, por, edi, lpl, lon, tun, nap, rom, (11) Build 1 as played 1 short.

G: mun, ber, kie, hol, bel, den, swe, nwy, war, mos, SEV (12) Build 1.

I: ven (1) Even.

T: ank, con, smy, bul, gre, rum, \$44, tri (8) Remove 1.

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Winter 1913/Spring 1914 due Friday Jan 7th. I have winter builds on file for France.

81 Rrd 05 Ficarb Deadmann dip Game Gm'd by Dave.

Press: None

Game Notes: COA for Cusack on P7.

Sorry Guys but W'04/S'05 is delayed till Jan 7th. Those that have submitted orders may resubmit. I told 1 player that he had a unit in 1 space but it was in another so I'll have to get him to resubmit. Same country as last time too. Sorry !! Cringe...

Miller Number??? Lamotien. Deadman Dip Game Gm'd by Barry.

Fall 1901

W104 + 3105

Press: Austria - Italy/Turkey: I hope you don't cross me. I wouldn't like it.

Jame Notes: W'01/S'02 due Friday Jan 7th. COA for Wiedemeyer on P7.